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Good morning,

While I understand and appreciate the need to raise fees for state parks, the proposed increases are too much for many of our poorer residents, and the elimination of the Annual Pass is not welcome.

Please reconsider how much the fees raise, and keep the Annual Pass intact, or consider a pass for seniors and or a senior discount. Retirees find the pass a great savings and helps them to enjoy this beautiful state.

V/r,

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